



Frequently Used New 2013 CPT Codes Crosswalk

Dear MHP FFS Providers:

- The American Medical Association (AMA) issued major changes to behavioral health CPT codes for dates of service on and after Jan 1, 2013, impacting all provider types (psychiatrists, psychologists, clinical social workers, marriage and family therapists) that provide CPT professional services in all states. Additional descriptions can be found on AMA website at: www.ama-assn.org/ama/pub/category/3113.html
- The changes are effective Jan 1, 2013
- The new CPT codes are mandatory; non-compliance is a HIPAA violation.
- The switch to the new codes is **based on the date of service**, not the date the claim is submitted. For dates of service prior to Jan. 1, 2013, you can bill with the old codes and the claim will pay.
- The AMA does not allow for a transition period. Providers must bill with new CPT codes on Jan. 1, 2013 for dates of service on or after Jan 1, 2013 or the claim will be denied.
- Code changes impact all provider types.
- Some of the CPT codes will remain the same. We have only highlighted CPT Codes that will impact the MHP FFS providers.
- The MHP FFS Provider Manual will be updated in early 2013 to reflect these changes, please check our website for updates at: http://www.sbcounty.gov/dbh/Fee-For_Service_Provider_Manual/FFSPM.asp

CPT Codes

As of January 1, 2013

Outpatient Codes for Psychiatrists (MD/DO)				
OLD CPT Code	NEW CPT Code	Service Description	Duration	Rate
90801	90792	Psychiatric Diagnostic Eval (w/ Medical Svcs) (Board Certified, Eligible, or Child Psychiatrist)	60 min.	\$99.45
90862	99213	Individual Outpatient Tx with Med Eval (Board Certified, Eligible, or Child Psychiatrist)	15 min.	\$52.65
99303		Nursing Facility Assessment	50 min	\$ 67.81
99312		Nursing Facility Subsequent Care	25 min	\$ 25.83

Outpatient Code for Psychologists (Psy.D./Ph.D.), Licensed Clinical Social Workers (LCSW) and Marriage and Family Therapists (LMFT)				
OLD CPT Code	NEW CPT Code	Service Description	Duration	Rate
90801	90791	Psychiatric Diagnostic Eval (no Medical Svcs)	60 min.	\$76.02
90806	90834	Individual Psychotherapy	45 min.	\$64.35
90847		Family Psychotherapy	60 min.	\$64.35
X9544		Case Conference	15 min.	\$32.17

Inpatient Codes for Psychiatrists (MD, DO)				
OLD CPT Code	NEW CPT Code	Service Description	Duration	Rate
99221		Acute Hospital Inpatient Initial Care	30 min.	\$53.82
99222		Acute Hospital Inpatient Initial Care	50 min.	\$75.35
99231		Acute Hospital Inpatient Subsequent Care	15 min.	\$26.91
99232		Acute Hospital Inpatient Subsequent Care	25 min.	\$35.52
99233		Acute Hospital Inpatient Subsequent Care	35 min.	\$43.06
99238		Discharge Inpatient care	30 min.	\$21.53
99239		Discharge Inpatient care	50 min.	\$30.75
99241		Office Consultation	15 min.	\$28.78
99251		Initial Inpatient Consultation	20 min.	\$37.00
99252		Initial Inpatient Consultation	40 min.	\$47.97
99253		Initial Inpatient Consultation	55 min.	\$67.16

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